

## Message Text

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ACTION NEA-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SS-15 A-01 MMO-01 /028 W  
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R 081140Z SEP 77  
FM AMEMBASSY COLOMBO  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8113

C O N F I D E N T I A L COLOMBO 3335

STADIS////////

FOR NEA/INS LANDE FROM THE AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: AID, CE

SUBJ: AID STAFFING LEVELS

REF: STATE 213696

1. I WOULD LIKE TO BE ABSOLUTELY SURE WE ARE TALKING ABOUT  
THE SAME THING BEFORE COMMENTING ON AID REQUEST POSED REFTEL  
TO AGREE TO "AN INCREASE IN STAFFING LEVELS IN FY 79 FROM  
6 TO 8."

2. DOES THIS REFER TO DIRECT HIRE ONLY, OR DOES IT INCLUDE  
AID CONTRACT AMERICANS, AMERICANS UNDER CONTRACT WITH GSL  
(LIKE INTERNATIONAL RICE INSTITUTE TECHNICIANS) OR FOREIGN  
NATIONALS?

3. LATEST EMBASSY POSITION OF WHICH I AM AWARE IS CONTAINED  
IN COLOMBO'S UNCLASSIFIED AIDAC 4341 OF 24 NOVEMBER 76 WHICH  
RECORDS MY PREDECESSOR'S AGREEMENT TO INCREASE "TOTAL WORK-  
FORCE" TO "5 US AND 3 FN IN FY 77 AND FY 78." ON THIS BASIS  
IT WOULD APPEAR THAT AID/W MAY BE PRESSING YOU FOR INCREASES  
THAT HAVE NOT YET BEEN SCRUTIZINED HERE UNDER MODE.

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